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by Fitzgerald Beaver
editor & publisher

SENTINEL-NAACP CREDIT UNION OPENS OFFICE IN TACOMA

Last Saturday the Sentinel N.A.A.C.P. Credit Union opened its doors at 5218 So. Tacoma Way. Some people braved the bad weather and came out to meet the staff and management of the Credit Union.

Mr. Robert Willis, Executive Manager, and Mr. Levi Townsend, President, were on hand to help Mr. Charles Smith, Tacoma Branch Manager, welcome to first customers.

The first account was opened by Mr. Jim Henderson, for the TACOMA FACTS. Fitzgerald Beaver, Publisher of THE FACTS, stated that he hoped that more businesses would use the services of the Credit Union and welcome the business to Tacoma. See more pictures on page 3.

Cross-Age Tutoring Program's Third Year of Service

The Tacoma Urban League (TUL) is currently applying to the Department of Health, Education and Welfare (HEW) Emergency School Aid Act (ESAA) for third year funding of the Cross-Age Tutoring Program (CATP), which operates in ten schools in Tacoma School District Number #10.

The CATP Advisory Committee for the 1975-76 school year has been revised to review and provide input to the new grant proposal. And, the committee must broadly represent the community being served.

The new committee members include: Robert Bennett, John Clark, Geoff Crum, Charles Doss, Nettie Garrett, Ronda Kaiser, Linda McArthur, Joe Pearsall, Ginger Range, Scott Salyers, Steven Salyers, Darrel Warren, Kandy Wel, and CATP students; Jim Josey, Irwin Krigsman, Mrs. Mayor, Stephanie McIntosh, Ron Murphy, Amelia Reyes, Kevin Ritchie, Mrs. Ryan, Mrs. Salyers, Mrs. Valdez, Virginia Taylor, Willie Washington.

Anyone seeking more information on the changes in Cross-Age Tutoring Program should contact Dave Heckman at 383-3008.

Madigan's Best

Center Commander Col. Alton B. Peyton extends congratulations to the three nominees selected to represent Madigan Army Medical Center in the Tacoma Area Federal Employee Association (TAFEA) federal employee of the year awards. The employees are LtCol. James Reed (R), chief of Endocrine and Metabolism Service, SSgt. Teresa Rice, NCOIC of Physical Therapy Service and Mrs. Donna Meyers, from the Pediatric Clinic. Final TAFEA announcements will be made at the banquet to be held at the McChord NCO Club May 16.

REFUGEE OPERATIONS -- Private First Class Joseph H. Johnson, Jetersville, Virginia, holds a Vietnamese baby during refugee off-loading aboard the military sealift command ship Greenport. Johnson, assigned to the 1st Battalion, 4th Marine Division, was part of a security force sent to The Greenport for security and protection. (Official U.S. Marine Corps Photograph Released by Department of Defense. Photographer: MSgt. Chuck McCormick)

Renovated Madigan Clinic UltraModern

Center Commander Colonel Alton B. Peyton snipped the ribbon officially opening the newly remodeled Ear, Nose and Throat (ENT) Clinic Tuesday and the door was opened to one of the finest clinics at Madigan Army Medical Center and the Northwest.

Lieutenant Colonel Leonard Hayes, chief of Otolaryngology (ENT) Service, expressed gratification, "We had tremendous support from everybody, especially from the Engineers and Medical Maintenance Branch." He also voiced appreciation for the "countless hours of meticulous work," by the staff. LtCol. Hayes pointed out, "Despite the large amount of work we lost only two half duty days and at that we were able to handle all emergencies."

The net result of the nine months project was an area almost doubled in size, providing more comfort for patients and convenience for the staff members. As Captain Larry Cyr, chief of Audiology and Speech Pathology summed it up, "The new clinic provides better facilities and more services for many more people."

The renovation provided ample room for speech and hearing therapy, a new ear mold laboratory, and new observation rooms were constructed for speech pathology. The addition of an operating room for minor surgery now gives the Clinic the capability to provide complete ENT care under one roof. Two new sound suites will allow Audiology to raise both the quality and number of extensive and routine evaluations.

The $266,000 project involved the addition of 3,240 square feet including a total of 17 new rooms. Included in the changes made in the new clinic was an expanded waiting area. As one patient put it on her first visit to the new clinic "It's much better -- it's a much more interesting and comfortable atmosphere."

CHARITY STARTS AT HOME

There is an old saying that if you want to locate the children of the man who makes shoes, all you have to do is find the children who are walking barefeet.

Such may be the case of the poor in the United States who are watching their government give away such large sums as $50 million at the same time their President tells them to eat cheese instead of meat. Or, at the time an aide suggests they eat less.

This is not to say we are against Israel in its quest to meet financial burdens. Nor do we oppose Vietnam in its desire to rebuild its nation. Nor by the same token do we find anything wrong with help to such underdeveloped nations as Africa - if we can afford it.

What we are asking is how can a country cry "poor mouth" on the one hand when it comes to its own people while at the same time it is a generous provider to all the rest of the world.

Are poor Americans no less entitled to economic stability necessary for successful fulfillment or their efforts for defending and developing themselves?

Are poor Americans not entitled to grants which will help them resettle so they can have lives with new opportunities to use their talents for self-development and continuing growth?

These words were used by John A. Hannah, administrator of the Agency for International Development, when a $50 million grant to Israel, the second in 10 months, was announced recently.

Poor groups in the United States need to have an appointment for a state visit in Washington. They should demand that they be accorded the same courtesies as other foreign dignitaries. Then they too could return to their homes with the goodnews that they have another $100 million to use for rebuilding.

RIGHT ON!

Community Discussion

Mary Lou Finley, Sociologist, will outline the rules for the "Getting Ahead Game" as part of a free community discussion series entitled "AMERICA: THE LAND OF OPPORTUNITY, FACT OR FOLKLORE, 1776-1975."

The "Getting Ahead Game" is an original dramatic presentation exploring the factors which determine who becomes successful in America. The game consists of a life-size social Monopoly board where contestants strive to "get ahead".

The "Game" will take place on Saturday, May 10 from 1-4 p.m. at the Eastside Neighborhood Center, 1720 East 44th St., Tacoma. The discussion series is supported in part by the Washington Commission for the Humanities, a state program of the National Endowment for the Humanities. The public is cordially invited. No prior registration is necessary. Free on-site child care is provided. For transportation, call 383-1761.

Panelists include Don Jordan, The Evergreen State College-poet; Clare Bright, University of Washington-philosopher; Josephine Fletcher, Pacific Lutheran University-psychologist; Ed Reynolds, The Evergreen State College--psychologist; and York Wong, Human Relations Commission.

Application For Federal Drug Abuse Funds

A grant application for federal drug abuse funds has been submitted by the Metropolitan Development Council to operate the Tacoma-Pierce County Narcotics Center. This application will be reviewed jointly by the Project Review Committee of the Pierce County Health Council, the Pierce County Drug Alliance, and representatives of federal, state, and local government. The review session will be held at noon on May 7, in the Health Council office, 201 South 34th Street, Tacoma.

Pierce County Health Council is actively involved in both planning and capital expenditure reviews for health facilities and programs. It is one of four county councils which make up Puget Sound Health Planning Council.

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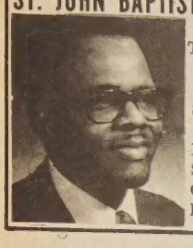

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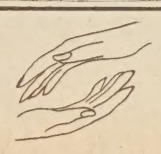

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C.O.R.E. Applauds Nationalist Victory in Vietnam: Condemns American Encouragement of Vietnamese Defection

EDITOR'S NOTE: The article below is a statement issued from the Congress of Racial Equality.

It is fitting that CORE, a Black Nationalist organization, applaud the Vietnamese people for their success in unifying and bringing peace to Vietnam. Their expulsion of foreign aggressors was necessary we feel, to the determination by the Vietnamese of their destiny, free of foreign domination.

The defection of some 55,000 Vietnamses refugees to the U.S.A. is the working of but another deception on those already misled into deserting their homeland.

CORE does not consider the changes in the government of Vietnam the tragedy the American government would have others believe. The tragedy exists solely in the minds of some misinformed, fiercely "Patriotic" Americans, debunked South Vietnamese government officials, and those in general who would not benefit by the decolonialization of Vietnam.

Moreover, we feel no shame, guilt, or responsibility for the plight of the stooges abondoning their country. These are not the oppressed homeless orphans we see on our television screens. If they are now indeed in danger of losing their lives, it may well be because it was they, querulous malcontents, who sold their people first to France, then to America. They now seek refuge with their most recent benefactors.

We are chagrined, however, by the role Black soldiers have played in Vietnam though the vast majority were coerced into fighting a way they neither understood nor wanted.

Finally CORE suggests that should the United States government choose to make reparations to the Vietnamese people in compensation for the destruction it has done them, it ought to offer them to the PRG of South Vietnam: It is more than owed them.

World Pageant

Danville, Va.: Pagents Unlimited, Inc., producers of the Miss Black Teenage World Pageant, announced that a Post Pageant Tour to Freeport Nassau, Bahamas Islands would be sponsored by the organization following the 1975 World Finals, which are slated for Raleigh, N.C., in August.

Ronald Charity, president of the organization said, "the tour is open to anyone interested in going with the new Miss Black Teenage World to Freeport". For four nights and five days the tour group will visit with Bahamaian Officials, as well as, participate in several social events and sight seeing tours.

Persons interested in making the tour should write Ms. Trudie Ferguson, Pageant Tour, Pageants Unlimited, Inc., P.O. Box 1139, Danville, Virginia 24541.

The current Miss Black Teenage World, Chauncey Douglas, will travel with the new Pageant winner and the group will depart and return to the Raleigh-Durham Airport. The 1975 Miss Black Teenage World Pageant will be held August 9 through 16.

Seminar At The YMCA

In recognition of national YWCA week, the Tacoma-Pierce County YWCA is sponsoring a Women and Religion Seminar, Saturday, May 10th from 10 am to 2 pm at the YWCA. The seminar will cover a historical, present, and future look at women and religion. Rose Lamken, art appreciation instructor at Ft. Steilacoom Community College, and an artist in her own right, will show attitudes toward women in religion through an art slide show. A panel of local women will then discuss the present roles of women in the church. Panelists include: Patricia Hamilton, M. Div., Lola Lawson, Mildred Seales, Mary Rogers and Jean Kennedy. Following an informal brown bag lunch, Shirley Kaplan from the Seattle Coalition Task Force on Women and Religion will share the efforts of that group as a future approach. Final speaker will be Sister Ann Brumback, Director of Apostolic Counseling at Marymount Academy. A member of an order which is challenging the church's values and structure regarding women, Sister Ann Brumbach recently participated in a woman-led mass in Seattle's St. Patrick Church. Her subject will be Women and Religion, a Look into the Future. The public is cordially invited to attend this complimentary program, and child care will be provided.

Afro- American & African Materials at the Tacoma Public Library

by Gordon H. Hills

Browzing through The Atlas of Africa, published by Jeune Afrique of Paris, I learned a variety of facts. There is no longer a "Congo River", which is now the Zaire River, named after the country of Zaire (pronounced zah-EER), which occupies its watershed in the center of Africa.

Sudan is the largest African nation, located between the Red Sea and Africa's geographical center, dominating the extensive Upper Nile drainage.

Egypt is 95% uninhabitable, yet its almost 35 million people makes it one of the most densely populated of African nations. They all live in the Nile River delta and along its banks to the South.

Liberia, the oldest independent African nation (since 19th-century European "colonial" days), is dominated by black Americans (Americo-Liberians), who moved there from the U.S. immediately after President Lincoln's Emancipation Proclamation, under the philanthropic American Colonization Company (wealthy white liberal abolitionists).

The largest artificial lake in the world is Lake Volta, filling three river valleys in Ghana. It is formed by Akosombo Dam, over 330 feet high.

Though literacy (ability to read the printed work) is low in large areas of Africa, oral tradition through 600 main languages is intensely active. Radio-listening is therefore popular and widespread. It is worth mentioning that we in the USA also are returning to a more formal appreciation of our oral heritage, as passed on by our elders, through oral history programs in libraries and other cultural institutions. (The Native Peoples of North America also have an ancient and well-established oral tradition.)

Also, you might say that we Americans are more turned-on by our own electric oral and visual communication media, witness the almost universal popularity of television, radio and the movies. The "old" ways of oral tradition are still good!

Finally, the world's most popular candy and your children's chocolate milk or cocoa undoubtedly came from Africa, where the largest producers are (Ghana, Nigeria, Ivory Coast). And on that sweet note, I'll close for this week.

News from Tacoma Community College

Tacoma Community College has received notification from the Department of Health, Education and Welfare of increased student aid for the 1975-76 school year, it was announced by Dr. Robert R. Rhule, acting president.

The college has been granted $201,693 under the Work-Study, Educational Opportunity Grant, and National Direct Student Loan programs. This is a 57 percent increase over current level funding.

Dr. Rhule urges students to apply now for financial aid for the upcoming year. Applications are available in the Financial Aid Office, Bldg. 5, at TCC.

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Something To Think About

BY Barbara Henderson

Are your friends good for you? Ask yourself this question. What do your friends to for you? Can they influence you? Do they respect you and your needs? Do they accept your individual and independence? What should be your major concern is yourself. If your friends influence you to do something wrong - what kind of a friend is he? For that matter, what kind of a person is he? Friendship is something you should value. It can be abused so easily. If you and this person have an understanding then you will take advantage of your relationship and make it better continuously. Friends have a big influence on your personality. So, when with friends, ask yourself the above questions and see where you're at. Think about it.

Write to me, Barbara Henderson in care of The Tacoma FACTS. Thank you.

The Case for Black Reparations

by Andre Young

Reparations for the black "former" slaves of racist Amerika are within their grasp if they would come together as a recognized "Nation within a Nation".

There is little doubt about the legal validity of the long standing unacknowledged claims of Black Americans against the Arab Countries of the Mid-East and United States of Amerika.

It is without a doubt a historical fact that past-emancipation proclamation reparations claims against the United Stated were to be initiated, then a call for - "forty acres and a mule", which was never commenced.

So Amerika has an unpaid debt of over two-hundred and fifty years of unrequited toil, with interest.

James Foreman, former director of SNCC, an obviously brilliant black brother did in 1969 submit his demand for a sum of $500 million as a partial payment of reparations due us as a people who have been exploited and degraded, brutalized, killed and persecuted, to all white Christian Churches and the Jewish Synagogues in the United States of America and All Other Racist Institutions. The amount demanded by the Manifesto, was to be used to establish a Southern land bank, publishing and printing industries, four audio-visual networks, a research skills center, a training center for teaching skills in community organization and communications, a black labor strike and defense fund, a black university , and several other institutions.

There is neither wealth nor wisdom enough in the world to compensate in money for all the wrongs in history.

THE CASE FOR COMPENSATION

Fifteen dollars for every black brother and sister in the United States is only a beginning of the reparations due us as people who have been exploited and degraded, brutalized, killed and persecuted.

Reparations is compensation for the value of slave labor. Would the courts award damages to my people for the value of their labor during the days of slavery?

As a legal system, segregation received its constitutional imprimarur in 1896, when the Supreme Court held in Plessy v. Ferguson that states could require the separation of blacks from whites in railroad cars. Lest it be thought that this network of statues was a legacy from the days of slavery, it should be noted that many of them were enacted after Plessy v. Ferguson and that some are as recent as the nineteen-twenties and thirties. Perhaps no more need be said than that an officially segregated school system was maintained under Congressional authority in the nation's capitol until 1954 and that legal provisions for segregated schools, though unenforceable under Brown v. Board of Education, appear in the District of Columbia Code even today.

As slavery receded into the background, it was succeeded by a caste system embodying white supremacy. The clash between the Black man's clearly defined place and the American ideal of equality continues into the Bicentennial Celebration.

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Scenes From the Sentinel-NAACP Credit Union Grand Opening

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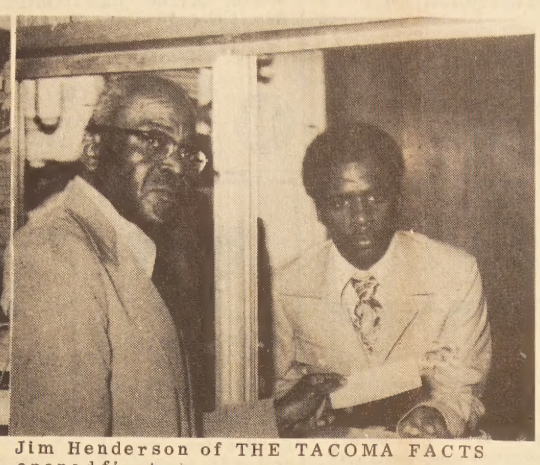
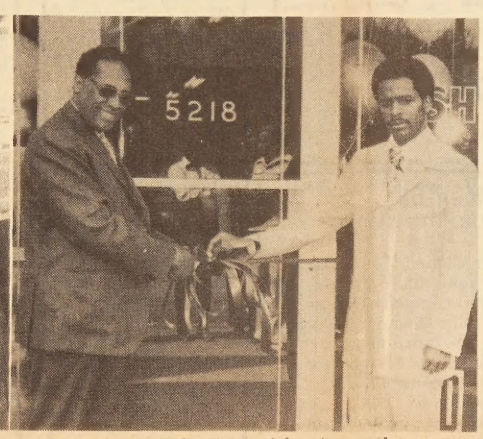
Rev. Robert Davis, Pastor of the Bethlehem Baptist Church, taiks over things with Mr. Townsend.



Jim Henderson of THE TACOMA FACTS opened first account.

Pictured are some of the people who came to the opening.



Levi Townsend, President, welcomes and congratulates office Manager Charles Smith.

Among the first were: (left to right) John Laster, Dave Olsen and Ed Russell.

Pictured opening an account is Ted Simmons.

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Sports Record Book

by Brian Jaybush

BORING MILLION

They've gotta be kidding. Don't they?

Major League Baseball Commissioner Bowie Kuhn says that baseball is "the most statisticized business I know." And if he isn't 100% right in that statement, he's at least 99 and 44/100% on the right track.

Where else but in baseball could you get such statistics as: "Most Seasons Leading League in Strikeouts," "Most Strikeouts, Season," "Most Strikeouts, Game," "Most Strikeouts, Extra-Inning Game," "Most Consecutive Strikeouts, Game,"...and so on ad infinitum. And that's just a synopsis from a book of general sports facts; the Official Major League Baseball Statistics Record runs to hundreds of pages crammed with statistics (though I don't think they've got one on "Most Chewing Tobacco Consumed, extra-inning game." One they overlooked, I guess).

Apparently there was one other statistic that was overlooked until just last week when a fellow named Mark Sackler got a calculator for his 23rd birthday.

Mark, it seems, is one of those freaks who like baseball statistics (though I should talk--I worked as a baseball statistician for a couple of years). Anyway, Sackler put those two things together--his love for statistics and his calculator--and in eight minutes had figured out that, since Wes Fisler touched home plate with the first run in baseball history some 99 years ago. some one MILLION runs had been scored in major league baseball.

Well, not quite a million runs. Actually, it was 999,800, or so, on the day Mark worked it out. Well, naturally he took his facts to Commissioner Kuhn who, embarrassed though he was for having baseball overlook so important a statistic, immediately set the wheels in motion to determine exactly when the millionth run crossed home plate.

A computer center was set up in New York to keep tabs on each game. Players started aching to be out there, to have a chance at it, to maybe be THE one...

After all, ONE MILLION is such a nice, round figure. Heck, even Hank Aaron only has seven hundred and some...

It was estimated that THE day would be Sunday, May 4. And sure enough, when Sunday, May 4 rolled around, there we were, sitting at just 12 shy. 999,988.

And then, when Dave Concepcion came to bat at 12:32 pm, the count (flashed on the big scoreboard) was 999,999.

Concepcion swung at the pitch, made contact and smashed it far into the stands. The crowd of 51,030 fans went into a frenzy as Concepcion literally flew around the bases, cheering and raving as he raced home with....

Run No. 1,000,001.

"It broke my heart," Concepcion said after the game. So near and yet so far away. It seems that, as Concepcion was just rounding third base, a fellow named Bob Watson was touching home plate, half a continent away, while 9,451 fans groaned because he was from the visiting team. The time was 12:32:30. Concepcion didn't make home until 12:32:34.

"Maybe my grandchildren will get the 2,000,000th run," Concepcion mourned.

And so another great moment in baseball statisticry has come and gone. We know the ebullience of the man who scored run #1,000,000; the sorrow of the man who got #1,000,001; and the glamour and excitement of it all.

And as soon as you all wake up, we'll discuss the tittilating thrills of counting how many grains of sand are on the beach.

Sportin' Life

by Dennis J. Harrington

SHAKE UP THE SYSTEM
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In a day and age when plaudits are accorded mediocrity and the mantle of greatness is ceremoniously draped about the shoulders of many ill qualified recipients more as an act of promotional gimmickery than any honest evaluation of ability, his accomplishments come readily to mind. He was a veritable symphony of scintillating sinew, poetry given substance in the guise of flesh and bone. No matter the era in which born he would have been a standout performer at his chosen profession. Everything about him lent personification to the meaning of the word class. His manner, method of movement and mode of operation became all but synonymous with the term. The current crop of counterfeits compare with him not at all. So for a few brief moments let us savor sweet remembrances of the sugar swinger, Ray Robinson.

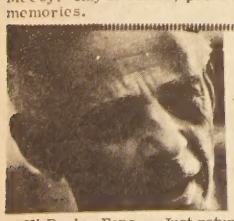
Despite all of man's bravado none of the species is particularly anxious to proffer his profile as an object of a knuckle barrage solely for the exhilaration such an experience may elicit. From the ancient days of the cruel cestus matches in Rome's cavernous Circus Maximus down to the more "civilized" fistic rites conducted in today's modern muscle meccas the rule remains unchanged, bleed only for the coin of the realm. And so it was in response to the lure of crisp currency or, more accurately, what its acquisition would assure that a youthful Robinson first subjected body and brain to the vagaries of mitted mayhem. For even as a simon pure the Harlem dandy was principally concerned with the price a generous collection of medals, watches and trophies would bring at pawn.

Upon logging 85 wins, 69 via the knockout route, as an amateur gladiator, he officially went mercenary on Oct. 4, 1940 as a participant on a Madison Square Garden card and with this unobtrusive debut one of the most illustrious chapters ever to be recorded in boxing annals had its beginning. Over the ensuing quarter of a century he would gross some four million dollars in revenues, pilot Cadillacs of flamingo hue and command an entourage the equal of a continental monarch. And, in a way, his claim to such appurtenances had a basis in regal dominion. For after all, did he not count among his possessions both the welterweight and middleweight crowns? However, his lofty place in the posterity of pugilism rests not on personal charisma but on preponderance of attainments.

During his long tenure he fought the best talent available in three divisions and seldom has the fight game been so well stocked below the heavyweight level as in the period extending from 1941 through 1963. At the point of final retirement on Dec. 10, 1965 he had appeared inside the silken ropes on no less than 202 occasions as a bona fide pro and came away the victor 175 times, 109 of these courtesy of a KO, while suffering a mere 19 reversals along with one no decision and no contest ruling apiece.

Perhaps his finest hour fell on Sept. 12, 1951 in the creaky confines of the Polo Grounds then located in New York City's Bronx borough. That night 61,370 spectators shelled out $767,626, a new money mark for a non "bigs" bout, to watch him regain the 160-pound title from Englishman Randy Turpin. Half blinded by blood flowing from a deep cut above his left eye late in the 10th round, he marshalled all his considerable resources to drop the tough Londoner for a full count and just beat the bell that would have terminated the heat. In this closing frenzy of fury he landed 31 punches in a 25 second spate. A remarkable accomplishment by any standard.

Currently, at 55, he resides quietly with his wife Millie in Los Angeles. Still trim and dapper, he makes an infrequent movie and otherwise devotes his energies to the Sugar Ray Youth Foundation, an organization concerned with the guidance of ghetto offspring. In a business relying largely on tinsel and sham he was the real ring McCoy. Ray Robinson, pound for pound the best of a savage breed. And oh, the memories.



Ringside Northwest

by Joe West

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Hi Boxing Fans -- Just returned from a very good trip to Los Angeles where TOMMY HOWARD won a big main-event fight. HOWARD beat EDDIE MAZON in ten rounds and became the first fighter of mine to do that. Yes, I have taken some good fights to L.A. but he is the first to turn that trick. The judges gave the fight to HOWARD on a split decision. The score cards were very close but whenever you win in another town and beat a local fighter then you know you have beat him good. It was a well received victory as TOMMY is liked by a lot of people in Los Angeles because they know that he comes to fight, and this time they rewarded him for his good effort. as far as HOWARD is concerned the motto is onward and upward.

The word is out here that there may be a show in town soon and I'm sure that HOWARD will be asked to be on it. But if that is not forthcoming we have plenty of other chances to fight. There is also the chance that my other little fighter GARY FERRARI will be on this card and with these two you know that there will be good action in the squared circle.

I noticed in the paper on our return that the promoter from Tacoma has proposed a show here and wants to put on another circus, like we had a few weeks ago on the tube. Let's look into this and see if it's possible rule-wise. First of all he wants a three day show with top name fighters. There is a rule that says no fighter can fight for at least one week after a ten round fight. There is the chance that one of the winners may get cut. I'm sure the commission would not let him fight the next night with a bad cut. This seems like the pormoter just wanted to get his name in the paper and proposed something like this knowing it would get ink but at the same time he would not have to try and pull it off. At the same time there is a suspicion in my mind that the commission would try and let him do it. After all, he is their favorite boy.

I thought that I had seen all the ways of protection to be used in Banks and offices, but I'll have to say that there is more to learn. As HOWARD was to be examined at the Doctor's office I noticed that the nurse was in a policeman's uniform and when TOMMY went into the office I asked him to look and see what she looked at and all he could tell me qas about the big 45 that she had on her hip! This has to be the tops, a murse carrying a gun around the office, but the way the city is I can see it is necessary It's too bad the world is in this kind of shape. Oh yes, on our return from L.A. we were met by Martha at the Airport and she informed me that FRASER SCOTT had called and mentioned that he saw the results of TOMMY'S fight in the New York papers. Then he said that he would be out here the first part of June to publicize his book. I'll be happy to see him and glad that his book is going well. That's it for this week.

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Baby Airlift the 'Height of Hypocrisy'

by Kijana Imara

The children, fathered by American G.I.'s during their approximate 15 years in South Vietnam, are a poly got mixture of many bloods. Some newspaper propagandist have claimed that "these children aren't mixed bloods" as if to say they aren't pure Vietnamese, whatever that means. However, be that as it may, those "pure blooded Vietnamese" are in the lifestyles and opinions of many United States Citizens still considered as "Gooks", "Chinks", "Slant-eyes" and in the final analysis they are no more nor less than the people in the U.S.A. we call "Niggers". They are the same people our Mapalm and B-52 bombers wiped out by the ten's of thousands. The "William Calley" attitudes still rein with a significant number of U.S.A. Citizens. No matter what the people and propagandist may say, the North and South Vietnamese are the same people. The situation in Vietnam is no different than the Catholics and Protestants of Ireland and their War, excluding U.S. "Military-Aid". They are the same people. It would appear to be that if U.S. Citizenry concern was genuinely sincere about helping children, why not help U.S.A. Children? "There are thousands of adoptable "toddlers" in the U.S.A. in need of home's in their own land, where very few citizens are willing to give them an adoptable chance. Hell, why not adopt the Pakistanians, Israelis, Nigerians and/or any other children of color? They are "pure bloods" and no less diseased and otherwise disadvantaged.

A bleak future lies ahead for the Vietnamese children brought to this Country during the so-called "mission of mercy baby airlift". One may call it "cultural shock". No matter what one calls it, the Vietnamese children are just a step above the disrespected Black people of Amerika. The greatest calamity facing them will be the overt and covert acts of racism. No matter what one says, 200 years of this Countries history has proven beyond a doubt that the dictum: "If you're White you're allright; if you're Brown you can stick around but, if you're Black you'd better get back," holds true as firmly then as it does now, and forever more in racist heart of the United States of Amerika.

The adoption agencies and government of Amerika owes it to the U.S. Public to tell the truth about the Vietnamese adoptions. Questions such as the how and why criteria for the Vietnamese children's parents selection? Were the children taken from their living parents with and/or without their permission? It appeared on its face that many Amerikan's were gathering up souvenirs (baby airlifting), since the "Communists" will take over the whole of Vietnam, when Saigon or Tieu fall's in either sequence.

UPI and AP including the other combined forces of the U.S. "Media Industrial Complex" over-whelmed the Public with their barrage of Baby Airlift headlines and by-lines. It was the great hoax of humanitarism to have been perpetuated upon the general public by the Media in recent times. And not only that, the opposers of this policy have not yet been able to obtain the kind of press extended to those propagandist in favor of the "Baby Airlift" maddness.

Any non-white person will testify to be in favor of whatever aid and assistance that could be rendered to the children of Vietnam, et-al but they recognize that everyone is a "favorite son" in the eyes of the world but him (Black people).

Letter of Interest

Senator Mike Mansfield
Senator Hugh Scott
The Senate
Washington, D.C.

Five or six years ago a Vietnamese diplomat sympathetic to the reunification of Vietnam spoke here. He was asked about the blood bath that was supposed to follow the departure of the Americans. He said he did not expect it to happen: that Vietnam had been invaded and conquered before in its long history; that after the conquerors had been overcome it became the task of the Buddhist priests to reconcile the people to the collaborators and he said this would probably happen again.

With some exceptions, non-whites living in the United States and in Canada live in the most dilapidated housing and work at the least desirable jobs. I doubt very much if the Vietnamese who want to come here know this. It is not doing them a kindness to bring them to this country to live in dileness on the dole or to toil at menial jobs among strangers in a strange land when they could live in an egalitarian society and work at rebuilding their country, free of foreign domination for the first time in more than one hundred years.

Any legislation providing funds to bring Vietnamese refugees to this country should also provide that they are to get their transportation back whenever they request it. They might not consider it freedom to get busted by the police for playing a friendly game fo cards - in this city the police are always on the backs of the Orientals for gambling. Most of them have so little living space that they cannot meet with their friends in their own homes so they have too meet in clubs and there the police raid them.

Very truly yours,
Marie Donohoe

FACTS NEWSSCOPE

WORLD AND NATIONAL

LISBON: The head of the Portugese military security police, Brig. Otelo Saraiva Carvalho, accused the U.S. and Western Europe of an economic boycott against Portugal. He said neither the boycott nor the recent elections will stop the military from creating a left-wing socialist state.

CHAVEZ SEES "RACKET" IN ALIENS LABOR: Cesar Chavez, president of the United Farm Workers of America, stated recently that transporting illegal aliens into the U.S. for field work may be "more lucrative" than smuggling narcotics....he asks for your continued support in boycotting Gallo wines, table grapes (non UFW) and head lettuce.

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—At the rate of even 40 million handguns in circulation, that's an average of two for every five families...

—Only 20 percent of the killings done in the U.S. are done by criminals...

—Approximately half of suicides in this country are caused by guns...

—There are an estimated 80 to 200 million privately-owned guns in the country, and the growth rate is estimated at 3 million a year...(an estimated 2 million handguns are manufactured in the U.S. annually, both as a lucrative sideline or full-time occupation)...

—Fatal accidental firearm fatalities are children between 1 and 19 years of age...

—The person most likely to be involved in a shooting is a friend, neighbor or loved one.

—In 1963 the homicide rate was 2.7 per 100,000; by 1972, this number was 5.5 per 100,000...

—Between 1962 and 1971, 722 police officers were killed, all but 32 by guns...

—The U.S. homicide rate in 1968 was topped only by Brazil among all the countries in the world, (it had 11.8 per 100,000)...

—In England, in 1971, there were only 29 gun homicides, compared to 965 in New York City.

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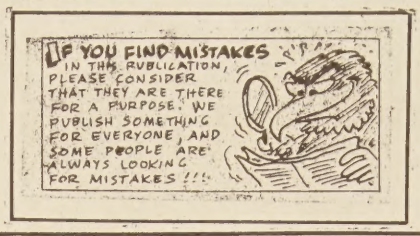
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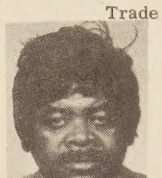

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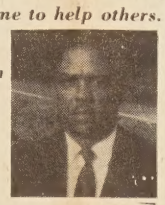

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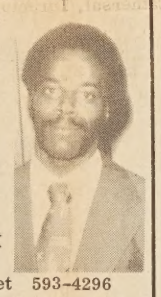

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Rx for your child's safety

Walking to the school bus, to a friend's house, to the store. Those are common experiences among school-aged children. However, walking without the proper knowledge of pedestrian safety often leads to needless childhood injuries and fatalities, warns Dr. Albert H. Domm, child safety specialist and medical director of the Prudential Insurance Co.

Dr. Albert H. Domm

Here are some basic rules which Dr. Domm urges parents to impress on their children:

Walk only on the sidewalk; where there is no sidewalk stay on the left side of the road facing the oncoming traffic; cross the street in marked crosswalks; always follow the directions of the crossing officer or the signal light; look left, then right before leaving the curb, making sure the way is clear. Finally, watch for turning cars and walk quickly when crossing.

According to Dr. Domm, children should wait for the school bus on the curb or in the safety zone, *not* in the roadway. If discharged from the bus in mid-street, they should walk in the safety zone to the crosswalk and then directly to the curb. When crossing to the opposite side of the street, they should wait until the bus has moved on, rather than risk being caught in the flow of traffic.

Prudential's Dr. Domm recommends that during dark winter months parents dress children in bright-colored clothing and apply reflective tape on their schoolbags and outerwear. "Reflective tape is a good idea for anyone walking at night," he adds, "be they young or old."

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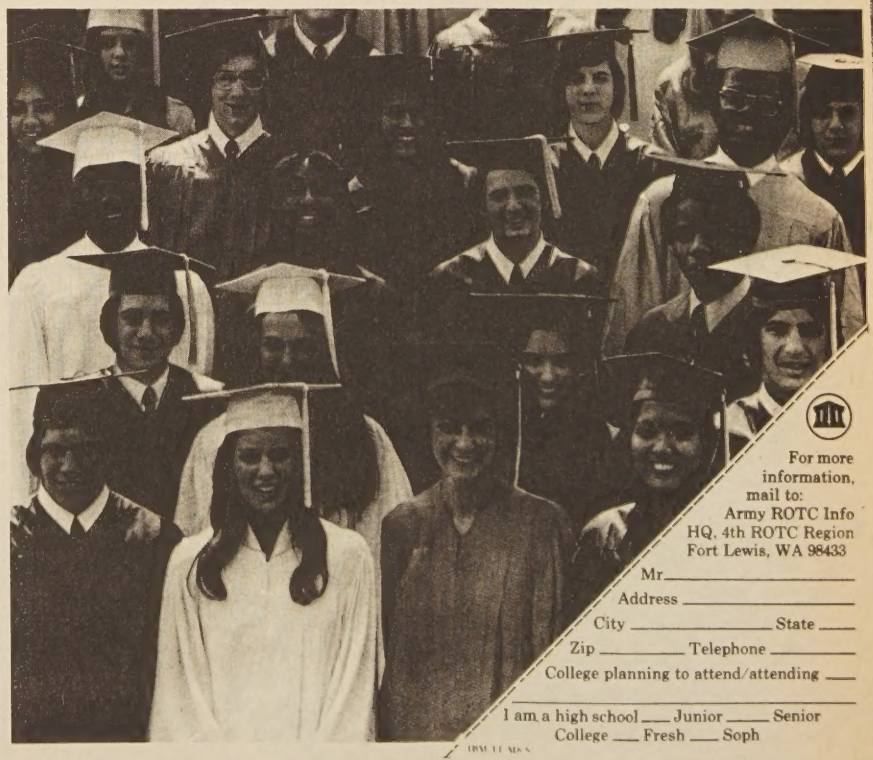

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Astrology VI: Venus & Mars

"Make Love; Not War!"

We have discussed how the Sun rules the Spirit and represents the Will-power; how the Moon is the Builder of Form and represents the personality; and how Mercury represents the reasoning mind. Through reasoning and "thinking" we become conscious of ourselves as separate evolving Beings. It is through LOVE then that we are conscious of others and can have unity. Love, harmony, art, and beauty are the qualities assigned to Venus.

Mars on the other hand, is the planet of Action, Desire, Courage, and WAR. It's influence is to stimulate and energize and without this force we would not accomplish, or build and progress. With too much of this force we become destructive.

The human MOTIVATIONS and INCLINATIONS influenced by Venus are to relate with sympathetic understanding and to unite and bring together as a whole. The influence of Mars is to initiate into action.

Everyone has a motivation to achieve harmony, to effect beauty in his relationships with his environment and to bring about balance in his life. Also, everyone has inclinations to expend physical energy, to set himself into worthwhile motions and to resist inertia. The positions of Venus and Mars in YOUR natal chart would indicate to YOU your own energy level in relation to these natural urges. Are you lazy or energetic? Are you loving and affectionate or cold and domineering?

We all as human beings have the capacity or tendency to LOVE or WAR in greater or lesser degrees. Besides the war with others there is the struggle "within" for self-mastery. From the desire and action of Mars we gain experience which CAN ultimately teach us to use our energies constructively. Through Venus we beautify ourselves and our environment. We can EXIST without Love and beauty, but we cannot truly "LIVE" without love, beauty, cooperation, harmony and unity.

It is interesting to note that in relation to "closeness to the Sun" the Earth is placed in the Solar System after Venus, followed by Mars. Thus, the Earth is placed between the planet of Love and the planet of War.

Equal Pay Act of 1963

The Equal Pay Act prohibits sex discrimination in salaries and most fringe benefits. The Act provides that a man and a woman working for the same institution under similar conditions in jobs requiring substantially equivalent skill, efforts, and responsibility must be paid equally. (Job titles and assignments do not have to be identical) Bona fide merit and seniority systems that result in pay differentials are allowed, providing the systems themselves do not discriminate on the basis of race or sex.

Employers are required by the EPA to maintain specified records relevant to the determination of whether violations have occurred. The federal government has the power to review all relevant records periodically even if no violation has been reported.

The reporting procedure is relatively informal. Complaints may be filed with the nearest Wage and Hour Division office of the Department of Labor or by the Citizens Affirmative Action Council. The identity of the complainant is not revealed by the government during the investigation process; however, neither the employer nor the complainant is bound by the confidentiality requirement.

For more information about the Equal Pay Act or the complaint procedure, please contact the Citizens Affirmative Action Council at 383-1761.

Central Africa Study Tour Offered

A 21-day study tour of Central Africa beginning July 23 is one of the highlights of the Summer Session 1975 curriculum at Pacific Lutheran University.

The tour, sponsored by the PLU Department of Political Science, will be led by Donald Farmer, professor of political science and chairman of the department.

The tour will visit Rhodesia, Botswana and Malawa with stopovers in South Africa and Brazil.

According to Dr. Farmer, special attention will be given to the diverse political, social and economic aspects of those developing countries. "Where possible, we will have discussions with governmental and other political leaders," he said. "Hopefully a wide range of political opinion will be examined."

The itinerary also includes a cross section of African Landscapes and natural features, including Victoria Falla, the Kariba Dam and Lake Malawi. Modern cities, ancient ruins, game parks, forests and the African bush will also be visited, Fa rmer indicated.

The tour may be taken for six hours academic credit or on an audit basis, he explained.

Further information may be obtained by contacting Dr. Farmer c/o the PLU Department of Political Science.

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As far back as Thoroughbred racing goes we've always had with us the viable quote, "It's the difference of opinion that makes horse races.

As far as 1974 goes, track officials and the news media had its differences of opinion for the "Who's Who?" during the racing season. It was that kind of year. Your agent, after consultation with the people who know, including several with a total of 161 years' experience, still couldn't agree. We did find four areas of agreement. Gary Baze, of course, was the leading jockey and he'll be back after a successful winter in California. Lyle Perry, Jr., leading apprentice, will be at Longacres for the '75 season but he has lost his "bug" and will ride as a journeyman jockey. Glen Williams, honored as the winner of "the best individual training feat" with winners in five stakes races, has accepted the Racing Secretary's position and will not compete this year.

Leading trainer Martin Kenney and his spouse Sylvia will be back but can he repeat in 1975? Of the four top award winners two have an opportunity to surge forward again in 1975. But that's the way horse racing goes. It is an ever changing kaleidoscope.

With the increase to 31 stakes races, the norsemen will be in clover (no pun intended) as they race for almost a half million dollars in purses. Claiming prices in line with inflation will increase to a minimum of $2,000 and parallel with this is the new minimum purse awards of $2,200. The largest purse is expected to be the Joe Gottstein Futurity with an estimated gross of $80,000 with about $50,000 going to the winner. This is the richest race in the Northwest.

As they swing open the gates for the first 1975 race at 4:15 p.m. on Wednesday, May 14th, anticipation runs high. The track as usual has been improved and will be ready to entertain the expected three quarters of a million plus guests. It will present its usual well polished and enjoyable self with decorum. Hospitality will be the watchword.

WEDNESDAY: May 14th, Opening Day. Seafair Queen Stakes at five and a half furlongs for Washington-bred three-year old fillies for $7,500 added. Run in two sections in 1974.

SUNDAY, May 18th, The William E. Boeing Stakes for Washington-bred three-year old colts and geldings at five and a half furlongs for added money of $10,000. Always a good race.

Exchange Students Need Host Families

Many families in the state of Washington are needed to be ambassadors of the American way of life to exchange students from Latin America.

Youth Exchange Service, is a world-wide non-profit charitable organization, with headquarters in San Clemente, California, created for the purpose of educational and cultural student exchange.

The YES program is trying to find host families for students between 15 and 18 years old, for a period of six weeks during the summer months and a full school year, begining in August.

Youth Exchange Service is contributing to the educational and cultural exchange authorized by the Mutual Educational and Cultural Exchange Act of 1961 (Public Law 87-256, also known as the Fulbright-Hays Act).

We believe that understanding is impossible without communication, peace and order in the world are not the exclusive business of statesmen, diplomats and international officials. Exchange students, will influence future relations of their countries with our own, and the prospects for world-wide collaboration in solving mankind's common problems. There is a certain sense of urgency which underscroes what we all do to enable mankind to find peace in this and future generations.

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Also, Youth Exchange Service is looking forward to recruiting voluntary men and women to form local committees in the communities of the state of Washington, for counseling and organization of social and cultural activities in their areas for the students. Also traveling free of charge overseas with the American students going to South America.

Additional information is available by writting or calling Mrs. Lucille Thome, P.O. Box 141, San Celmente, CA 92672. Phone (714) 492-7907.

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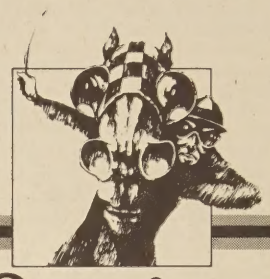
Boys' Club News

The Boys' Club Annual Sports Banquet will be held May 13, 1975 at 6:30 P.M. at Brad's Restaurant, 72nd and Pacific. Guest speaker will be Franklin Burgess, who is a member of the Board of Trustees of the Downtown Boys' Club, President of the N.A.A.C.P. of Tacoma, a local Attorney, and a graduate of Gonzaga University. Many boys and girls, who have participated in the Boys' Club organized sports, 1974-75 season, will receive trophies and awards. There will also be a special award presented to the Coach of the Year and one to the Parent of the Year.

Each year the Tacoma Boys' Club Parents Club raises funds to support this annual event, and it has been a successful endeavor for the last six years. A great amount of thanks goes out to Mr. Arthur Dillingham, Chairman of the Year Book Committee, for the fine job he has done in helping to make this event possible.

We are asking all parents of boys and girls who participated in organized sports at the Boys' Club, and parents from our Community, to come out to Brad's Restaurant, 72nd and Pacific, at 6:30 P.M., May 13th, 1975 and support the Boys' Club for this gala occasion. Mr. Gerald Baldwin, President of the Parents Club wishes to remind all parents that meals will be paid for only the boys and girls who are receiving awards. Please come out and support all the boys and girls of our Downtown Boys' Club.



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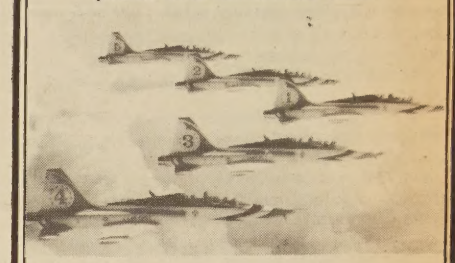

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